

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
ALEXANDRIA DIVISION

UMG RECORDINGS, INC.; CAPITAL
RECORDS, LLC; WARNER BROS.
RECORDS INC.; ATLANTIC RECORDING
CORPORATION; ELEKTRA
ENTERTAINMENT GROUP, INC.;
FUELED BY RAMEN, LLC; NONESUCH
RECORDS INC.; SONY MUSIC
ENTERTAINMENT; SONY MUSIC
ENTERTAINMENT US LATIN LLC;
ARISTA RECORDS LLC; LAFACE
RECORDS LLC; and ZOMBA RECORDING
LLC,

Plaintiffs,

v.

TOFIG KURBANOV d/b/a FLVTO.BIZ and
2CONV.COM;
And DOES 1-10,

Defendants.

Case No.

1:18-CV-00957-CMH-TCB

**DEFENDANT'S MOTION TO STAY DISCOVERY AND PROCEEDINGS PENDING:
(1) THIS COURT'S FURTHER RULING ON PERSONAL JURISDICTION AS
REQUIRED BY THE FOURTH CIRCUIT'S ORDER OF REMAND;
AND (2) A RULING ON DEFENDANT'S (FORTHCOMING)
PETITION FOR CERTIORARI TO THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT**

For the reasons set forth in the accompany Memorandum in Support, Defendant requests respectfully that the Court stay discovery and all other proceedings in this case until:

- (a) this Court has issued its decision concerning the reasonability analysis as required by the Fourth Circuit's order of remand, and
- (b) the United States Supreme Court has issued an order either denying Mr.

Kurbanov's *certiorari* petition or (having allowed such a petition) issues

So Ordered
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its order following its consideration of Mr. Kurbanov's appeal.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH MEET AND CONFER REQUIREMENTS

I hereby certify that, prior to the filing of this motion, counsel met and conferred with Plaintiff's counsel in an attempt to narrow or eliminate the disputes addressed in this motion.

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